

PRISON PARTY GIVEN BY MRS. S. C. JAMES

Women at Blackwell's Dance, Eat Ice Cream and Cheer for Hostess.

GRAND CELL MARCH LAST

Fox trotting, singing, pink ice cream and cheers for the inmates of the women's prison on Blackwell's Island, given yesterday on the floor below the lower tier of cells.

Although the women's dresses were of striped gingham and showed marks of toil the scene was nevertheless novel and attractive.

MOSS ADHERENTS CONFIDENT

The Frank Moss League predicted yesterday that Mr. Moss would win both the Republican and Progressive nominations for District Attorney in the primaries on September 28.

Two Party Nominations His In Prediction of Leaders.

Mr. Moss will be filed with the Board of Elections to-day. To-night the candidate will be seen by the Board of Elections.

SEES FIGHT ON CROPEY.

F. J. H. Kracke says "certain financiers" will oppose him. According to Bridge Commissioner Frederick J. H. Kracke, Republican leader in the Flatbush district of Brooklyn, District Attorney James C. Cropey will have to face the opposition of certain banking interests in his fight for reelection.

PRAYER HELPS ELOPERS.

Daughter Slips Away While Her Father Is on His Knees. SCOTTLAND, Pa., Sept. 6.—While David Kennedy was on his knees saying the evening prayer Saturday night, Miss Josephine Kennedy, his daughter, aged 16, aided by her mother, eloped with Frank Stettin, a young man from Sunbury, Md., where they were married.

FIRE ENDS FIREMEN'S FUN.

Volunteers Halt Games to Fight a Real Blaze.

DOBBS FERRY, N. Y., Sept. 6.—The Labor Day celebration under the auspices of the volunteer fire department was abruptly terminated when the big white on the Manhattan-Acher tower blew an alarm. The firemen deserted the athletic games on McKean Field and raced to Main street, where they found Nicola Serbelloni's store ablaze.

Girl Throws Baseball 50 Yards.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Sept. 6.—Miss Theresa McCullough, 15 years old, a sophomore in the North Plainfield High School, in a feminine athletic meet held at Taylor Field today, threw a baseball 150 feet 9 inches, winning the event.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS IS ATTACKED BY WALLSTEIN

Commissioner of Accounts Says Body Works for Both Parties and Not for Public Good—Wants Smaller Organization.

In a report which Commissioner of Accounts Wallstein sent to Mayor Mitchell yesterday the Board of Elections is accused of working for the Democratic and Republican political organizations rather than for the public. Two of its four members, Jacob A. Livingston, chairman of the Kings county executive committee, and James Kane, a protégé of John H. McCooey and the Brooklyn Democratic crowd, are termed "obstructionists."

There should be two Commissioners instead of four, Mr. Wallstein says. They should be of opposite political faith and should be appointed by the Mayor, and not by the Board of Aldermen because Mayor Gaynor refused to reappoint Commissioner Kane. In his report, which is the result of an investigation begun last year at the request of the Honest Ballot Association and the Citizens Union, Mr. Wallstein thanks Commissioners Boyle and McKee for cooperation and says that in several important instances they have freely acknowledged defects in the present method and have helped in devising improvements. But Mr. Kane is accused for "proved unfitness" and Mr. Livingston for "utterly failing to realize that his official position renders improper Wallstein activity, which violates the spirit of the election law."

FEDERAL WAGE PROBE ORDERED BY WILSON

It Will Be Made Into the Rates of Pay at Gun Factories.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—At President Wilson's direction Secretary Daniels issued a statement to-day announcing that he will appoint a board to investigate the making of munitions in the Washington Navy Yard in comparison with those at private gun factories. Until the report of this board is received no action will be taken on the part of the navy yard employees for higher wages.

EMPEROR LEBAUDY SIGHTED.

Is Fixed Up at Lebanon Hospital and Then Vanishes Again. Jacques Lebaudy, Emperor of the Sahara, disappeared last Sunday night when he was taken to Lebanon Hospital for hysteria and was out of sight again at 9 o'clock yesterday evening when he descended the hospital steps. When taken to the hospital he said he was the Marquis de Lara of Paris and the Hotel Knickerbocker and suffering from a sunstroke.

FINLEY AGAINST DRILLS.

Wants No Military Display in Public Schools of State. KINGSTON, N. Y., Sept. 6.—In an address this evening at the dedication of the new school building, Dr. John H. Finley, State Commissioner of Education, protested vigorously against military drills in the public schools, at the same time highly praising such military camps as the business men's meeting at 10 and 11-30 o'clock last night the crowds were greatest.

250,000 VACATIONISTS BACK.

All the Railroads Pour Multitudes Into the City. They all came back last night—suitcases, grips, tennis rackets, golf sticks, and all. No turnstiles registered the returning vacationists, but the competent eyes of weary station masters guessed there must have been 250,000 people in the great influx that poured out of every incoming train at every railroad terminal. The Long Island Railroad followed after 7 o'clock last night, Saturday broke all records; it outgoing train, but yesterday and last night broke the records for returning crowds.

UNIONS START WAR ON PREPAREDNESS

Meetings Held to Make Silent Protest Against Larger Army and Navy.

UPPER CLASS AGITATION

Labor union members here passed the day yesterday in making a silent protest against military preparedness, on the ground that capitalists and others are agitating for a large army and navy to protect themselves in case of widespread labor upheaval, brought about by the high cost of living.

RECENT CENSUS FIGURES

ALBANY, Sept. 6.—How many trained men are there in New York State who would be immediately available in case of war out of the estimated 2,500,000 between the ages of 18 and 45? The recent State census taken under the direction of Francis M. Hugo, Secretary of State, shows that on June 1 there were approximately 250 officers and 6,800 enlisted men at the various army posts of the Empire State. New York's naval militia has about 1,200 young men commanded by sixty officers. The National Guard, according to figures compiled on March 31 last, totaled 17,089, including 1,069 officers. The grand total of this census is 13,119 officers and 251,189 men.

100,000 CHILDREN IN PARKS.

School Opening Forgotten Through Labor Day Games. The children of Manhattan's park playgrounds and recreation piers won't forget Labor Day for a long time. They forgot even the approach of the opening of school yesterday. In Germany in 1849 and in France in 1878.

MITCHELL BACK FROM CAMP.

Comes With Gep, Wood and Goes to Long Beach. Mayor Mitchell and Major-Gen. Leonard Wood rode home from Plattsburg together in the first section of the Monday morning train which arrived yesterday morning. Mitchell and Major Wood had a better business man in the years to come, would improve his health and would above all acquaint him with things military.

CONY HAS SHARKLESS DAY.

Not a Mischap Occurs; Police Just Twiddle Their Thumbs. From the east end to the west end the beach at Coney Island yesterday was thronged with the labor day crowd. It was estimated in figures way up among the star day estimates for the island and the proportion of it that bathed was likewise estimated among the estimators far and high.

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SVENGLAI'S EYES WORK FROM FILM

Girl in Audience Watching Tribly Hypnotized by her Movie Orbs.

EVEN POLICE FALL IN

An attractive, dark haired girl was found just before midnight last night sitting rigidly in a front row seat of the Forty-fourth Street Theatre, her eyes fixed in a stare of horrified fascination. "Oh, those eyes, oh, those eyes," she murmured repeatedly. At the Polytechnic Hospital it was said she was in a catatonic trance, and probably had been hypnotized. She was able to say she was Myrtle Conroy, 22 years old, of Magnolia, Miss., but no more.

WARD'S WHEATHEART BREAD

Many persons, while admitting the healthful qualities of whole wheat bread, have never cared to eat it because it was not palatable. Every palate and taste responds to the appetizing and palatable flavor of the whole wheat loaf which is the real thing and different from any you have ever tasted.

PRIVATE SCHOOLS AND ACADEMIES

Advertisement for private schools and academies including: NEW YORK'S PRIVATE SCHOOLS, THE Veltin School, THE SEMPLE, Chappaqua Mountain Institute, THE GROFF Clark School, MANHATTAN COLLEGE, St. Ann's ACADEMY For Boys, IRVING SCHOOL, MOUNT PLEASANT ACADEMY, PRATT INSTITUTE, MACKENZIE SCHOOL, MILITARY ACADEMY, BROOKLYN LAW SCHOOL, WESTCHESTER ACADEMY, STEVENS SCHOOL, BROOKLYN LAW SCHOOL, WESTCHESTER ACADEMY, STEVENS SCHOOL, BROOKLYN LAW SCHOOL, WESTCHESTER ACADEMY, STEVENS SCHOOL.

Advertisement for Bloomingdale's featuring a 'Guess NOT!' promotion. Text: 'Unhappy? (Guess NOT!) WHY is Joanne always accused of flat rebellion when you mention school? Didn't he (and Sister) have the time of their lives last term—and the term before that? Everything here to make the youngsters ready for "dear old golden rule days." And right now a special sale of School Supplies at special prices! Bloomingdale's 86th to 90th St. Lex. to 3d Av.'